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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the application as follows prior to examination on the merits.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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REMARKS:

Prior to a formal examination of the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment to the claims. The claims are amended to provide improved grammatical and idiomatic form. It is believed that the amended claims are allowable over the prior art and will facilitate processing of the application.

This amendment amends claims 1-4 and 6-10. After entry of this amendment, claims 1-4 and 6-10 remain pending in the application, including five independent claims.

Applicants respectfully submit that no new subject matter has been added with this amendment. Each of the amendments and corrections finds full support in the specification, drawings and claims as originally filed.

Entry and consideration is respectfully requested. Please charge any necessary fees, including any extension of time, or any other fee deficiencies to Delphi Technologies, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-0831.

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MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))		

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Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	9	Minus	20
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	6	Minus	3

FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))

DATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X \$ <u>25.</u>	
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RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
x \$ <u>50</u>	<u> </u>
x \$ <u>200</u>	<u>600</u>
x \$ <u> </u>	
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AMENDMENT 8

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Independent (3) CFR 1601	"	Minus	"	"
FIRST REPRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (3) CFR 1600H				

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1. <u>First</u> <u>independent</u>	1	10000	1
2. <u>Independent</u> <u>(37 CFR 1.56(b))</u>	1	10000	1

FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.56(b))

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10. *most frequent and complete* (1997) *1800-1900* and *select* (1997)